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REPRODUCTION SYSTEM AND METHOD SUITABLE FOR LIVE-PAUSE PLAYBACK

UTILIZING INTELLIGENT BUFFER

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- Power of Attorney and Correspondence Address Indication Form;
- Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b); and
- 3. Return receipt postcard.

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It is not believed that extensions of time fees are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0740.

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